

February 26, 1986 LB 325

PRESIDENT: The motion is to adopt the amendment offered by Senator Jerry Miller. Is there further discussion? Senator Miller, you may close.

SENATOR MILLER: I want to make this issue perfectly clear. This involves only state employees, not teachers, and our policy before the Senator Wesely amendment was to allow for zero early withdrawal, but because the Nebraska Association of Public Employees had an Attorney General's Opinion that they could draw 100 percent, it was negotiated down to 50 percent. This would further negotiate that early withdrawal available to Nebraska state employees down to 25 percent and that would satisfy the Attorney General's problem that he had with zero and I would say that it is prudent management because as Senator Lundy says, and we have to remember his expertise comes from city management and management of retirement programs that this is a retirement program, not a savings program, that we should take it down to the lowest point of early withdrawal possible and that would be 25 percent. I would move the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: The motion is to adopt the motion of Senator Miller to LB 325. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. We are voting on Senator Miller's amendment to LB 325. Please record your vote. The Chair will allow 30 seconds for the recording of your votes. Please record your vote if you wish to vote. The motion on the floor is the adoption of an amendment offered by Senator Miller to LB 325. If you wish to vote on Senator Miller's amendment, please do so within the next 15 seconds. Have you all voted? Senator Miller, do you wish...have you all voted?

SENATOR MILLER: I...

PRESIDENT: Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

SENATOR MILLER: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Miller.

SENATOR MILLER: I would have to ask for a call of the house. I would like to take call in votes.

PRESIDENT: Very well. The question is, shall the house